



Oklahoma Crop Production

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Oklahoma Cotton Forecast up From Last Month

Oklahoma:

Production prospects remained unchanged from October for corn, grain sorghum, soybeans and peanuts, while cotton is up 7 percent, according to the Oklahoma Field Office of USDA-NASS.

Production of **corn** for grain is forecast at 37.3 million bushels, the same as last month but 61 percent above 2006. An average yield of 138.0 bushels is expected from 270,000 harvested acres.

Production of **grain sorghum** is forecast at 11.1 million bushels, the same as last month but 64 percent above 2006. An average yield of 53.0 bushels is expected from 210,000 harvested acres.

Soybean production is now forecast at 4.08 million bushels, the same as last month but 12 percent above last year. An average yield of 24.0 bushels is expected from 170,000 harvested acres.

Cotton production is forecast at 290,000 bales, up 7 percent from last month and 43 percent above 2006. A record high average yield of 844 pounds is expected from 165,000 harvested acres.

Peanut production is forecast at 51.2 million pounds, the same as last month but 18 percent below last year. An average yield of 3,200 pounds is expected from 16,000 harvested acres.

United States:

Corn production is forecast at 13.2 billion bushels, down 1 percent from last month but 25 percent above 2006. Yields are expected to average 153.0 bushels per acre, up 3.9 bushels from last year. If realized, this yield would be the second highest on record, behind 2004. Production would be the largest on record as producers expect to harvest the most corn acres for grain since 1933.

Production of **grain sorghum** is forecast at 515 million bushels, up 85 percent from 2006. Yield is expected to average a record high 76.8 bushels per acre from 6.70 million harvested acres.

Soybean production is forecast at 2.59 billion bushels, down 19 percent from 2006. Yields are expected to average 41.3 bushels per acre, down 1.4 bushels from last year.

All **cotton** production is forecast at 18.9 million bales, down 13 percent from last year. Yield is expected to average 859 pounds per harvested acre. If realized, the yield will be the largest on record surpassing the previous record of 855 pounds per acre set in 2004.

Peanut production is forecast at 3.47 billion pounds, up marginally from last year's crop. Yields are expected to average 2,913 pounds per acre from 1.19 million harvested acres.

Crop Acreage, Yield, and Production, Oklahoma and United States, Final 2006 and November 1, 2007

Crop	Planted		Harvested		Yield per Harvested Acre		Unit	Production	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007		2006	2007
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres				1,000	1,000

Oklahoma

Corn, Grain ¹	270	320	220	270	105.0	138.0	Bushels	23,100	37,260
Sorghum, Grain ¹	270	240	200	210	34.0	53.0	Bushels	6,800	11,130
All Cotton	320	175	180	165	541	844	(2)	203	290
Soybeans	310	190	215	170	17.0	24.0	Bushels	3,655	4,080
Peanuts	23	17	22	16	2,850	3,200	Pounds	62,700	51,200

United States

Corn, Grain ¹	78,327	93,616	70,648	86,071	149.1	153.0	Bushels	10,534,868	13,167,741
Sorghum, Grain ¹	6,522	7,704	4,937	6,702	56.2	76.8	Bushels	277,538	514,681
All Cotton	15,274	10,847	12,732	10,543	814	859	(2)	21,588	18,862
Soybeans	75,522	63,669	74,602	62,818	42.7	41.3	Bushels	3,188,247	2,594,275
Peanuts	1,243	1,225	1,210	1,190	2,863	2,913	Pounds	3,464,250	3,466,400

¹ Area planted for all purposes.

² Cotton yield in pounds and production in 480-lb. bales.



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